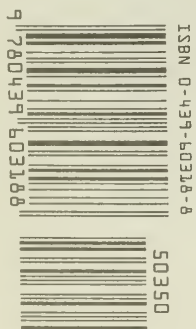


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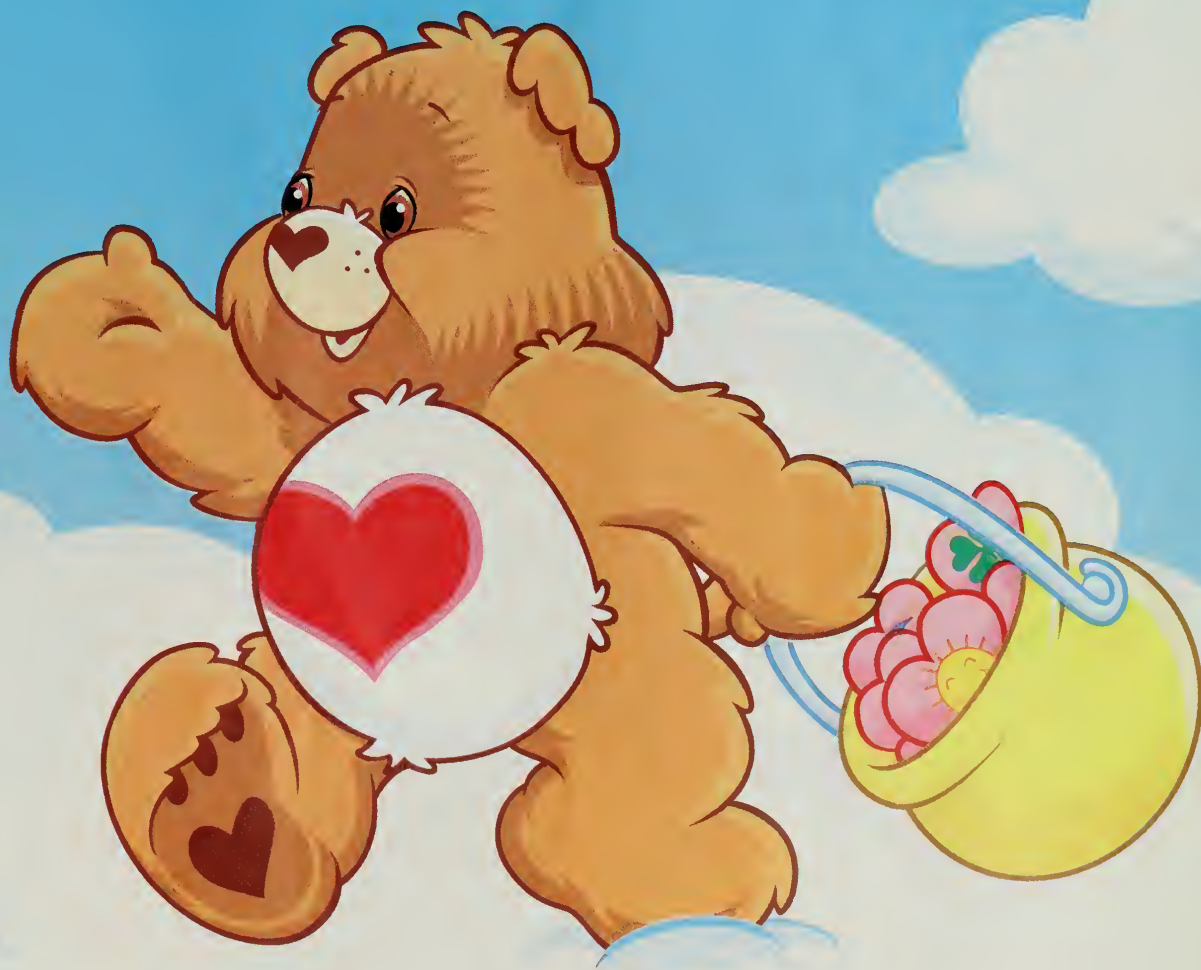
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“Hooray!” said Love-a-lot Bear. “This is my favorite day of the year.”



“Mine too,” said Tenderheart Bear. “I love spending the day telling all of our friends how much we love them.”



“Do you have all our special hearts ready to be delivered?” asked Love-a-lot Bear.



“I sure do,” Tenderheart Bear replied. “The first one is for Funshine Bear. He shouldn’t be too hard to find.”



“Have you seen Funshine Bear?” they asked Wish Bear.
“I wish I had,” she answered. “Keep looking and I know
you’ll find him.”



“Thanks,” said Love-a-lot Bear. “I love how you always give such good wishes.” She gave Wish Bear her special heart.



Tenderheart Bear and Love-a-lot Bear looked in the
Cloud Patch. But they only found Bedtime Bear.



"I love that Bedtime Bear naps during the day so that he can help us all to sleep the whole night through," whispered Love-a-lot Bear.



"Have you seen Funshine Bear?" Tenderheart Bear asked.
"No, but I will keep an eye out for him." Friend Bear replied.



“You’re such a good friend. You’re always willing to lend a helping hand,” said Tenderheart Bear as he gave Friend Bear her heart.



"This is fun, but I'm getting hungry," Love-a-lot Bear said.
"Would you like some of my rainbow bars?" Share Bear asked.



“Thank you, Share Bear,” said Tenderheart Bear. “That’s what I love about you best. You are always willing to share.”



Tenderheart Bear and Love-a-lot Bear slid down one rainbow slide after another looking for Funshine Bear.



“We’re never going to find him,” sighed Tenderheart Bear.



“Finding a friend can be hard sometimes.”
Grumpy Bear said.

“But keep looking!” said Cheer Bear. “I just
know that you’ll find Funshine Bear soon.”



“You two are such good friends to turn our grumpies into grins,” Tenderheart Bear said, smiling. He gave them each a special heart.



“You’re in luck!” said Good Luck Bear, “I just saw Funshine Bear peeking out from behind that cloud over there.”



"Thank you," said Tenderheart Bear.

"We love that you always help things turn out right,"
said Love-a-lot Bear.



Love-a-lot Bear and Tenderheart Bear laughed and laughed when Funshine Bear jumped out from behind the cloud and surprised them.



“Funshine Bear, you made today extra fun,”
said Love-a-lot Bear. “We love that about you.”



“We did it,” said Tenderheart Bear. “We delivered hearts to all our friends.”



"Not everyone," said Funshine Bear.
"Who did we miss?" asked Love-a-lot Bear.



“You!” cried all the Care Bears together. “You remind us how important it is to tell everyone how much you love them. And that’s what we love best about you.”





Follow Love-a-lot Bear and Tenderheart Bear
on some very special deliveries as they tell all their
friends what they love best about them.

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